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HOUSE RESOLUTION

2 WHEREAS, The members of the Illinois House of
3 Representatives are pleased to congratulate the members of the
4 Hillcrest Hawks High School girls basketball team for being the
5 runner-up in the IHSA Class 3A State basketball tournament; and

6 WHEREAS, The Hillcrest Hawks High School girls basketball
7 team is known for their great defense and commitment to playing
8 as a team; the team's 2nd place finish is the best ever for a
9 girls' team at Hillcrest High School; and

10 WHEREAS, Hillcrest Hawks Head Varsity Coach John Maniatis
11 has coached for 16 years with a record of 386 wins and 82
12 losses; he has been named the Coach of the Year by the Illinois
13 Basketball Coaches Association 7 times; he and his staff have
14 led the Hawks to an Elite Eight berth and a Class 3A State
15 runner-up finish for the last 2 seasons; and

16 WHEREAS, The members of the Hillcrest Hawks High School
17 girls basketball team are Samirah Ali, Sharolyn Wiggins,
18 Jasmine Sanders, Althea Burke, Jacquenae Foster, Dana Gettis,
19 Shannise Heady, Kristin Marshall, Mia Jones, Uniquah Hampton,
20 Yolanda De La Torre, and Autris Colema; the team's assistant
21 coaches are Rachel Binole, Joe Kintz, Dave Klupchak, Bob
22 Reiser, and Rick Tustin; the school's superintendent is Bill

1 Kendall, the principal is Renee Simms, and the athletic
2 director is Lisa Wunar; and

3 WHEREAS, The members of the Hillcrest Hawks High School
4 girls basketball team serves as models of hard work, integrity,
5 and dedication for the people of the State of Illinois;
6 therefore, be it

7 RESOLVED, BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE
8 NINETY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we
9 congratulate the members of the Hillcrest Hawks High School
10 girls basketball team for being the runner-up in the IHSA Class
11 3A State basketball tournament and wish them continued success
12 and happiness in the future; and be it further

13 RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be
14 presented to Hillcrest Hawks Head Varsity Coach John Maniatis
15 as a symbol of our esteem and respect.